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Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, \$3.434,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks to-day, 483,700 shares.

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NEW YORK, October 29.—Money on call steady, 11-4@1 3-4 per cent; rulling rate, 1 1-2; closing bid, 1 1-2; of fered at 1 1-2. Time loans quiet and steady; sixty days, 2 1-2@8 per cent, and ninety days, 3@3 1-2 per cent; six months, 3 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4 1-2 per cent. Steriling exchange weaker, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.8440@\$\$4.8450 for sixty-day bills, and at \$4.844@\$4.84 1-4. Bar silver, 50 7-8. Mexican dollars, 45.

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

Richmond, Va., October 29, 1908. SALES AT. BOARD.
Virginis Centuries—1,000 at 92.

STATE SECURITIES. Carolina 4s, C. 1910.... 93 Carolina 6s, C. 1919.... 117 s, Old, C. and R., 1932... 91% ries, 2-3, C. and R., 1991. 92

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hales.
Total to-day at all ports—Net receipts.
55.581 bales: export to Great Britain, 5.322
bales; to France, 8.509 bales; to the Continent, 25.115 bales; to Japan, 887 bales; stock, 782.730 bales.
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By THOMAS BRANCH & Co., Bankers and Brokers, Open, High, Low, Closing, Bid. Asked SALES:

111/9 117/8 111/2 117/8 111/8 117 Prices Recede While It Was in Progress, but Easily Recovered.

NEW YORK, October 29.—To-day's desultory fluctuations in prices of stocks were not a reflection of any news developments affecting the individual properties or the general situation, for there were no such developments of any importance. Wall Street is concerning tiself atmost exclusively now with the probable course of stocks as a barometer of the condition of the country after the election has passed. The source of doubt of the future is the demand, which may develop on the part of the large speculative holdings of millionaire capitalists. There was further selling of stocks early to-day by those representing the belief that the realizing sales after the election in the large speculative holdings of millionaire capitalists. There was further selling of stocks early to-day by those representing the belief that the realizing sales after the election in the likely to overbear the new demand.

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There was a continuance of the cleaning up of speculative accounts begun yesterday. Prices receded willief that a symptom of the preparations for the November settlements, which do not, however, offer arduous requirements. Discounts hardened in London and Berlin, as a reflection of the same cause. Of more interest was a rise in the price of gold in London and a fall in the sterling exchange rate at Paris.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, \$3.434,600. United States bonds and a fall in the sterling exchange rate at Paris.

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vith		LOSING BOND QUOTATION		affairs," said the witness. "Miss Wil- son kept my bank account straight."	X
ons iich re- in of was don nge par inds ales	U. S. 2s. registered. 1005; U. S. 2s. coupon 101 U. S. 4s. registered 1220k U. S. 4s. registered 1220k U. S. 4s. coupon. 122 American Tobacco 4s. 781k American Tobacco 5s. 1095 Atchison general 4s. 1001 Atchison general 4s. 1001 Atchison conv. 5s. 1054 Atchison conv. 5s. 1054 Atchison conv. 5s. 1054 American diustment 4s. 95 Atchison conv. 5s. 1054 American Conv. 5s. 924 Atlantic Coast Line 4s. 94k Bultimore and Ohlo 4s. 994 Bultimore and Ohlo 3ks. 944 Brocklyn Rapid Transit conv. 4s. 744 Central of Georgia 1st Inc. 65 Central of Georgia 1st Inc. 65 Central of Georgia 1st Inc. 45	Colorado and Southern 4/28 888 Delaware and Hudson conv. 48 10078 Derver and Rio Grande 48 96 Erie prior lien 48 872 Erie General 48 732 Hocking Valley 4/28 1054 Interborough Metro. 4/28 6578 Japan 48 8012 Japan 448 9014 Japan 448 801 Japan 448 9014 Japan 448 801 Japan 48 801 Japan	Norfolk and Western conv. 48 2004 Oregon Short Line refunding 48 2414 Fernsylvania conv. 3128 1915 9534 Fernsylvania conv. 3128 1915 9534 Reading General 48 1953 Reading General 48 1953 Republic of Cuba 58 1918 St. Louis and Iron Mountain con 48 1024 St. Louis and San Francisco 18 7654 St. Louis Southwestern con 48 75 Schoard Air Line 48 544 Southern Pacific 48 9514 Southern Pacific 1814 8554 Southern Railway 58 107 Texas and Pacific 1818 116 Toledo, St. L. and Western 48 7654 Union Pacific conv. 48 10234 United States Steel 2nd 58 10634 Unided States Steel 2nd 58 10634 Unided States Steel 2nd 58 10634 Un-10 1	mand came in 1902, he said, and arti- nicial ice was all the market wanted. That effected a change in the business of the company. This line of questioning finally led up to the point of the loans made to John F. Carroll by the National Bank of North America, amounting to \$135,000 at one time. He said these loans were secured by 40,000 shares of ice stock. Mr. Morse told of a plan ro buy half of the Car-	
and	Central of Georgia 3d Inc	Nutional P. P. of Mar. con 4s. 801	Wabash new 4s 531	roll stock at \$30 a share and give the	
six	Chicago, B. and Quincy new 48 9844 Chicago, R. L. and Pacific R. R. 48 727	New York Central gen. 348. 93 New Jersey Central gen. 58. 126% Northern Pacific 48. 1024	Wisconsin Central 4s	purchased 4,000 shares of ice stock, he said, at \$40 a share for Mrs Geishen. "What became of the profit of \$10	
ter-	36,154 bales; export to Great Britain, 80,615 bales; to France, 36,111 bales; to the Continent, 91,709 bales; to Japan, 6,675 bales. Total since September ist at all ports—Net receipts, 2,317,782 bales; export to Great Britain, 949,715 bales; to France, 236,623 bales; to the Continent, 787,788 bales; to Japan, 7,575 bales.	No. 3 mixed	TRADE REPORT. Bradstreet's to-morrow will say for Richmond and vicinity.	a share?" asked Mr. Morse's lawyer. I gave it to the bank," answered the financier. Clerk Borrowed Thousands. The loans made to Leslie Whiting, the nineteen-year-old cierk in a brok- er's office, were then taken up, and Mr. Morse said that the first loan of \$80,- 600 to the youth was made at his (Mr. Morse's) request, "and was an accom-	
	NEW ORLEANS, October 29 COTTON- Spot cotton gulet and unchanged; middling,	CATTLE MARKETS.	Trade conditions generally in nearby districts are about as reported for the past week, showing in most staple lines	modation borrow." Mr. Morse told of how the loan made	
18.	scot cotton quet and uncanneed, minding, c. Sales 1.125 bales on the spot and 450 to arrive. Futures opened quiet at a de-	CHICAGO, October 29.—CATTLE—Re-	a decrease eines the first helf of the	to Whiting had been used to take up	
	of the market was induced wholly by liqui-	ccipts estimated about \$,000 head. Market steady to strong. Steers, \$4.40@7.60; cows.	month, while in outlying districts a decided improvement is noted, espe- cially in Southern Virginia and in	second Whitfield loan of \$69,000 was se- cured by 2,000 shares of ice stock, being	
ked.	dation from the long side, which was even- ing up over the coming holidays and elec- tion. Liverpool was fairly good and the	\$2@5.00; heifers, \$2.50@5.25; bulls, \$2.50@ 4.50; calves, \$2@8; stockers and feeders,	North Carolina, where tobacco is being marketed in large quantities at prices that show an advance over those of a	one-half of the Carroll stock he (Mr. Morse) had purchased. Judge Hough at this juncture ad-	
9214	weather was bad, but continued selling by longs during the morning caused prices to	\$2.50@4.65. Hogs-Receipts estimated about	similar period of last year. In North Carolina the cotton crop is consider-	journed court. Director Gives Testimony.	
9294	sag off from the opening level until they were 7 \$\pi\$ 11 points under the closing of yesterday. Around noon something of a recov-	30,000 head. Market 510c. lower. Choice, heavy shipping, \$6@5.20; butchers, \$5.95@	ably short of the yield estimated early in the season. Manufacturers of vin- egar extracts and grocers' specialties	Colonel R. M. Thompson, a former director of the National Bank of North	
76	er; was seen, and in the afternoon session the market was steadier. At the close,	6.10; light mixed. \$5.25\$5.50; choice light, \$3.50\$5.80; pigs. \$3.50\$4.85; bulk of sales, \$5.50\$5.90. Sheep—Receipts estimated about	and fruits are plentiful and in fair	America, was also on the stand, and Attorney-General Stimson asked him if the holding company for the Amer-	L
::	which was steady, prices were 4 \$\Pi\$6 points lower than at yesterday's close, Closing bids: October, 8.75; Nevember.	20,000 head. Market 10@29c. lower. Sheep, \$4,20@5; lambs, \$4,75@6; yearlings, \$2,85@	this line, and will improve retail trade	ican Ice Company had not been char- acterized as a "trust."	-
	8.78. December, 8.69; January, 8.64; February, 8.62; March, 8.66; April, 8.69; May	5.15.	during the remaining days of the week. In all lines conservatism in buying is a feature, and some manu-	"An evening newspaper has so char- acterized it." answered Colonel Thomp-	F
	8.70 This market will close Saturday noon, not to reopen until Wednesday morning.	NEW YORK, October 29.—BEEVES—Receipts, 1,141 head; no trading. Calves—Receipts, 241 head. Veals sold at \$5@9,25 per	facturers in anticipation of increased after the election are accumulating	"Did not the Attorney-General of the State so characterize it?" asked Mr.	
::	NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.	100 pounds; grassers and fed calves, \$3.25@ 4.00. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3.771 head. Sheep sold at \$3.50@3.70 per 100	stocks beyond the current demands. Orders for dry goods and shoes show a decrease. The improvement in col-	"Not until some politicians who were	
::	NEW YORK, October 29.—FLOUR—Steady with a moderate demand, Rye Flour, Buck-	pounds; cuits at \$2 to 2.75; lambs, \$5.25 to 6.15;	vance of the fall season has not oc-	acquaintances of the Attorney-General were caught short of the stock market and stung" was the response	
	wheat Flour, Cornmeal and Rye-Steady, Barley-Dull, Wheat-Steady; No. 2 red, \$1.09 elevator, Options at partial 4c, de-	New York State and Pennsylvania hogs sold at \$5.90 @ 6.00 per 100 pounds,	curred, and a slowness is still noted in practically all lines.	and stung," was the response. Later in discussing the Morse loans. Colonel Thompson was asked if he had	
1:	cline. December, \$1.104; May, \$1.104; Cern—Steady; No. 2, 774c, new, elevator. Options net unchanged. December, 744c.;	RICHMOND TOBACCO MARKET.	CLIMB TELEPHONE POLES	had several times overdrawn his ac-	
	Options net unchanged. December, 74%c.; Myy, 71%c. Oats—Steady; mixed, 52@52%c. Beef—Firm, Cut Meats—Quiet. Lard—	Richmond, Va., October 29, 1908. Tobacco: Dark Fired-Receipts of new primings very light and market active at	TO ESCAPE MAD STEER ATLANTA, GA., October 29.—A mad steer	"There is not a broker in Wall Street who does not overdraw his bank ac-	
60	Easter, Pork—Steady, Tallow—Easter, Turpentine—Quiet, Rice and Molasses— Quiet, Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining,	unchanged prices. Brights-Fair receipts:	ran amuck to-day in the business section of Atlanta, and before the steer was caught, at the risk of life and limb, two persons were	count daily," answered Colonel Thomp-	
7	Quiet. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, \$3.56; centrifugal, 96 test, \$4.08; molasses sugar ,\$3.31; refined, steady. Coffee—Spot	Cured—Receipts of new primings light and market active at prices quoted. A few lots of new leaf have been received, but not in	intured and others fied to places of safety.	son, and he added, "they have no way of knowing what they are going to win during the day."	L
	quiet; Rio, No. 7, 6%c.; Santos, No. 4, 8c.; mild, dull; Cordova, 9@125c. Futures net	DARK FIRED.	the right horn of the steer was torn from	DIAVE TELLO OF	
	advance of 5@10 points. Butter-Firm and urchanged. Cheese-Dull and unchanged, Eggs-Firm; State, Pennsylvania and nearby	Lugs 7.00 @ 9.00	his head.	BLAKE TELLS OF	tor
	selected, white, 43@45c.; do., fair to choice, 85@42c.; brown and mixed, fancy, 35c.; do.,	Leng leaf 10.00 @ 14.00 Wrappers 12.00 @ 20.00	MITCHELL DAY IS OBSERVED IN ANTHRACITE COAL REGION	DUCTIO DOLDEDA	000
	fair to choice, 29@32c. Peanuts—Easy; fancy handyleked, 5½c.; other domestic, 2¼@44c. Liverpool, Freights	SMOKERS-Common 8.00 @ 9.50	WILKESBARRE, PA., October 29.— Mitchell Day, which commemorates the	RUEF'S BRIBERY	a c
	-Firm; grain by steam, 1%w. Potatoes- Irregular; Maine, per 180 pounds, \$2.12@	Fine 12.00 @ 13.00	Mitchell Day, which commemorates the ending of the first great coal strike in 1900, was observed throughout the an-	HOLL O DIVIDENT	the
00	2.25: Southern sweets, per barrel, \$1,2562. Calbages—Steady and unchanged. Cotton- seed Oil—Opened lower with the easier lard	Fine	thracita coal regions to-day there ha-	Standing in Shadow of Double of	Ξ
2	market, but rallied at the close, Prime	Fancy	ing almost a total suspension of min- ing. The principal feature of the day	Standing in Shadow of Penitenti-	W

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bales; to the Continent, 787,788 bales; to
Japan, 7,876 bales.

Cotton, quiet; midding, 9.15; gross replies, 6.511 baier; sales, 840 baies; stock fig. 6.512 baies; st

RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET.

Wrappers 12.0 © 20.00
fair to choice, 29@32e.
Feanuts—Easy, fancy handyleked, 2/6c.;
Other domestic, 24@45e. Liverpoet leveled to the common 8.00 © 9.50
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Hedium 10.00 © 11.50
Cultares—Steady and unchanged. Cotton
Seed Oll—Opened lower with the easier lard
market, but railled at the close, Prime
crude, 294@430c.; prime summer yellow, 274@50c.; off summer yellow, 274@50c.; prime winter yellow, 424@5
44%c.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., October 23.—
Dr. Shirley Bragg, State Jall Inspector, and a nephew of General Braxton Bragg, shot and killed himself to-day. It is not known if the shooting was accidental. He was fifty-five years old.

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Admiral Conden is Retired.
WASHINGTON, October 29.—Rear-Admiral Alfred Reynolds Couden will be placed upon the retired list of the navy to-morrow, his sixty-second birth-day. He will probably continue as president of the special board of ordnance of the special board of many important commands in American and foreign waters.

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Uniform Pure Food Laws.

ATLANTA, GA., October 29,—It was announced to-day that for the purpose of securing the enactment of uniform pure food laws and to aid in the enforcement of such laws, a meeting of the heads of the department of agriculture and State chemists of the various Southern States will be held in Atlants on December 1st.

Encountered a Hurricane.

MOBILE, ALA., October 29.—Cable-grams received here from Colon, Pansma, says that the Norwegian steamer Theima, which sailed from here over two weeks ago, was damaged in the recent hurricane off the Nicaraguan coast. The extent of damage was not reported.

Frenzied Financier Explains American Ice and Loans to Clerk.

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It was then brought out in allega- WHITENS tions that Newburgh had procured at-

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torneys for Blake's defense. Blake then told of the alleged offer of \$10,-000 and provision for his wife, while he was in prison, if he would not make a confession. The story told by Blake created consternation in court, and the case was continued for two weeks.

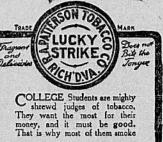
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